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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: Jay Hosler, Peter Lothberg
Assignee: Cisco Technology, Inc.
Title: REFLECTOR COMMUNICATIONS CHANNEL FOR AUTOMATIC PROTECTION SWITCHING
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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Dear Sir:

Applicant(s) respectfully petition(s) for a one-month extension of time within which to respond to the August 22, 2005 outstanding Office Action, such extension allowing the undersigned until September 5, 2005 to respond.

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